













Poetry.

The Farmer's Death.

By CHARLES L. J. LEBLANC.  
My heart leaps through his pale face,  
And I am glad to see him die,  
For he has lived a life of pain,  
And I am glad to see him die.  
The farmer's death is a sad sight,  
And I am glad to see him die,  
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Our Story Teller.

MARTY'S WIFE.

The Romance of a Winter Evening.  
We lived not two miles from a busy little city whose bells mellowed by the river for the river ran between it and us—blew cheerily over to our ears, whose roofs and steeples flashed in our eyes all day under the warm sun, and whose lights, red and glowing, cheered our eyes at night on lonely nights. We were isolated, indeed. There was no house on either side.

The village at our back was as far away as the city in our face, and on either side of us were waste lands, through which ran the wide, white turnpike, climbing high hills, and getting lost between tall trees as it left the river. In the winter the turnpike was hardly used, and the road was a long, straight, and lonely road. In the winter the turnpike was hardly used, and the road was a long, straight, and lonely road.

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who had taken shelter from a wild storm in her kitchen, and had fallen in love with her husband. And at another time it was the plover, between whom and Marty the ragged tramp was engaged in a tender, smooth, and was smiling, considering the native shyness of both.

But after a few days of married life, and devoted to each other, each of these admirers, enquiring the other, folded his arms, and the other, folded his arms, and the other, folded his arms.

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Young Folks Column.

Papa's Letter.

I was writing to my study.  
Writing letters, when I heard  
A knock at my door, and I saw  
Mama's maid's face.  
"What's the matter?" I asked.  
"Your father is in the study,"  
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